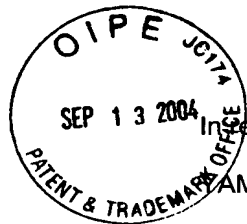


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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

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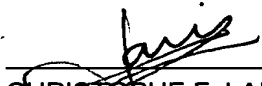
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TOTAL	9	20	0	\$ 18.00	\$ 0.00
INDEP.	8	6	2	\$ 86.00	\$ 172.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+	\$ 290.00	\$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE					\$ 172.00
GRAND TOTAL					\$ 172.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$172.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2004, the date for response to which is September 17, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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